

San Francisco

Canton. August 15th/35

I write you at some length by the
Brazilian, since which I am without any oppor-
tunity. Mr Foster tells me that you were going
home in the May - and I sent herewith a parcel
of letters which came out of the English Ship (Mat-
thias), last from Manila: There are besides some
papers, a volume of the "Last days of Pompeii" &
some numbers of the North American Magazine
which I shall keep for acquaintance sake,
this opportunity (per Mexico), being somewhat un-
certain. I also retain a letter, by the Beta, ad-
dressed in the hand writing of young Laddard -
as I think by the time you will have given
some directions respecting the proceeds of that
shipment made in the above named vessel, and
of which this Club may treat.

We had a very severe Typhoon here on the 5th
& 6th and many vessels were dismasted: I have

not time to enter into details and you must
gather particulars from other sources -
Our Portuguese is now well - you know
the consequences, & that they fall chiefly upon
my shoulders.

With sincere good wishes for your future welfare,

I remain, Dear Friend

Yr. Servant
A. S. L.

P.S. Fisher is a Capital man to make passage
with - and I trust that you will receive every
benefit from the voyage & in due time find a
happy meeting with your friends - When I hear
of you I will salute you - do not forget to
drop me a line - though in looking back to
your stay in this inhospitable Country, association
not of the most pleasant nature may be called
up - Adieu - Yr. Servant A. S. L.

William Irving, Esq
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per Macao.

A. A. Jones August 15. 1833

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